



# Department of Environmental Quality

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February 8, 2010

Rod Bennett  
R.S. Bennett Construction Co., Inc.  
Skyline Construction Co., Inc.  
PO Box 1156  
Big Piney, WY 83113

Attn: Messrs. Rod Bennett and Cory Bennett  
RE: Termination of Notice of Violation Docket Number 4381-08

Dear Mr. Bennett:

In the matter of the Notice of Violation (NOV) Docket Number 4381-08, the following mining operations were involved:

1. Skyline Pit limited mining operation 003ET (which has been reclaimed and released).
2. Pan Am Pit limited mining operation 935ET. Per the NOV \$3,000 additional bonding was required to be posted. Since the time the NOV was issued, significant reclamation has been performed (however reclamation has not been released by DEQ). No further bonding is required.
3. Deer Hill Pit is an approximately four acres disturbance which has been operated without bonding or permitting. Bonding in the form of a cashier's check in the amount of \$4,000 was received in our office February 4, 2010 and has been accepted. The bonding instrument was submitted with a permit application for Deer Hill. BLM will not sign the landowner consent until the NOV has been terminated, prohibiting permitting to be completed prior to terminating the NOV.

Based on the information above, I believe that R.S. Bennett Construction/Skyline Construction has (have) substantially fulfilled the obligations required under the Notice of Violation Docket Number 4381-08 and am releasing the NOV.

If you have questions, please contact me at the District 2 Lander Field Office (307) 332-3047.

Sincerely,

*Tanya R. King*  
Tanya R. King, P.E.  
Natural Resource Analyst

xc: Cheyenne DEQ/LQD - 935ET  
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Dry Basin Draw TFN 5 1/149 and Guio North Piney TFN 5 6/148  
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